

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ERIC MINCHAK,

Petitioner,

v.

PATRICK COVELLO,

Respondent.

No. 2:20-cv-00063 KJM GGH P

ORDER

Petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding through counsel, has filed this application for a writ of habeas corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2254. The matter was referred to a United States Magistrate Judge as provided by 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B) and Local Rule 302.

On June 24, 2020, the magistrate judge filed findings and recommendations, which were served on all parties and which contained notice to all parties that any objections to the findings and recommendations were to be filed within twenty-one days. ECF No. 19. Petitioner has filed objections to the findings and recommendations. ECF No. 20.

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C) and Local Rule 304, this court has conducted a *de novo* review of this case. Having reviewed the file, the court finds the findings and recommendations to be supported by the record and by the proper analysis.

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1 Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

2 1. The findings and recommendations filed June 24, 2020, are adopted in full;
3 2. The petition is denied on its merits and dismissed;
4 3. The Clerk of Court close this case; and
5 4. The court declines to issue the certificate of appealability referenced in 28 U.S.C. §

6 2253.

7 DATED: October 8, 2021.

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9 CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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